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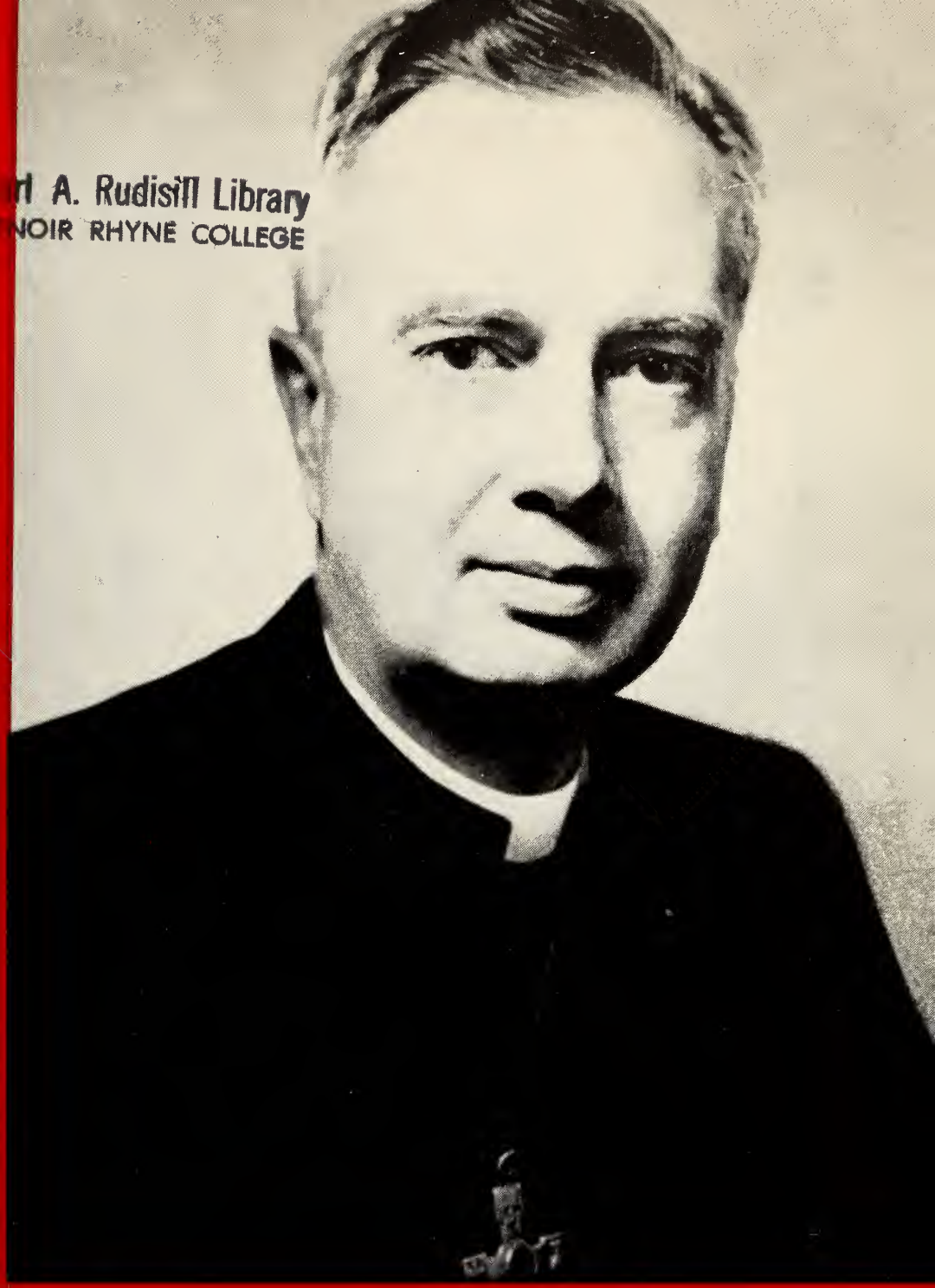

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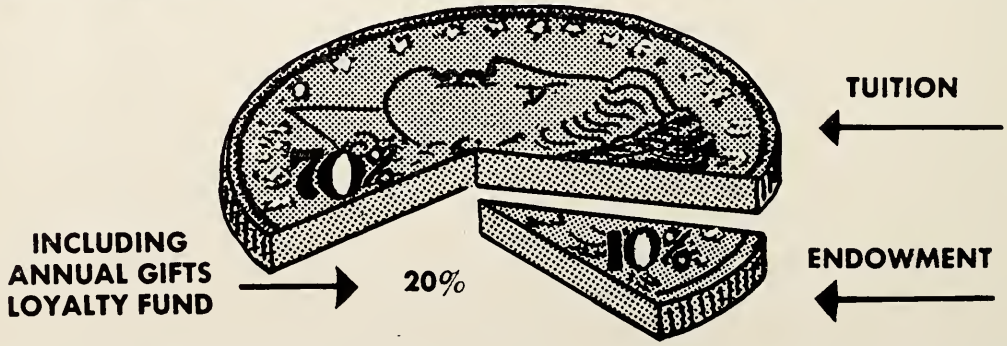

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President's Message

Dear Alumni:

Regardless of the stellar events on the stage, the platform or the athletic field during the session, commencement stands as the climax of the college year. This is the time when graduating students reluctantly sever campus ties and survey the future with suspense and high expectation. It is the occasion when the old grads are seized with nostalgia and slip away from busy careers to walk again the campus paths and renew the ties of student days.

The pull of former scenes and chums is an attraction quite strong enough, but the features of the commencement program are added inducements. For the graduation address we have Dr. Franklin Clark Fry, widely recognized as the most astute and influential churchman of this generation. For the baccalaureate preacher there is The Reverend Raymond M. Bost, Class of 1949, one of the younger alumni whose ministry has been particularly directed toward the college scene. And at the alumni luncheon you will listen to Dr. Albert Keiser, who has taught most of the students who have attended LR since 1925.

Add the commencement recital, the play, class reunions, and the chance to chat with the old roommate or sweetheart — why, the urge to return for commencement becomes irresistible!

You'll get a chance to see and enjoy recent additions to the college plant and to inspect the new dormitory now under construction. Can it ever rival Highland Hall or the Oakview of the twenties in its treasured associations and memories?

A hearty welcome awaits you at your Alma Mater!

VOIGT R. CROMER.

Alumni President's Message

Twelve Classes are observing reunions this year and if your class is one of these we hope you are making plans to attend. Special meeting places have been set aside on the campus for each group and several classes are planning dinner meetings prior to the commencement play. A chance to see the wonderful new buildings which have been completed since you graduated—the many campus improvements—the new boy's dormitory now under construction—all of this plus the chance to renew old acquaintances on Alumni Day, May 31. So please make your plans now to be with us and we will be looking for you and your families on Alumni Day.

Sincerely,

LLOYD LITTLE, President
Alumni Association.

REUNION CLASSES

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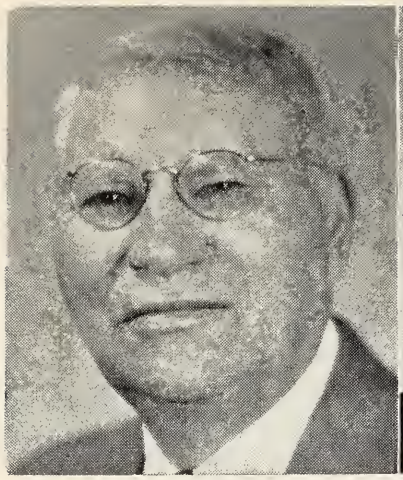
1928	—	1933	—	1938	—	1943	—	1948	—	1953



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FRY, KEISER, BOST TO LEAD '58 COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

The Reverend Dr. Franklin Clark Fry, of New York City, one of world's outstanding protestant leaders, will be Commencement speaker for the sixty-seventh commencement exercises at Lenoir Rhyne College, June 2.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by the Reverend Raymond M. Bost of New Haven, Connecticut, pastor of the Lutheran church on the Yale University campus.

Dr. Albert Keiser, professor emeritus of English and Public Speaking of Lenoir Rhyne college will be principal speaker at the annual Alumni Luncheon, Saturday, May 31.

Dr. Fry

Dr. Franklin Clark Fry, president of the United Lutheran Church in America, heads the largest Lutheran body in the United States, with a membership of more than 2,700,000 persons. He is also president of the Lutheran World Federation and spiritual leader of 50,000,000 of the world's 70,000,000 Lutherans.

The commencement speaker is one of the leaders of Protestantism both in the United States and internationally. He is the present chairman of the ninty-member policy-making Central Committee of the World Council of Churches and vice-chairman of the United States Conference for the World Council of Churches. He was elected as president of the Lutheran World Federation in Minneapolis in August, 1957. Dr. Fry is chairman of the LWF's Commission on Younger Churches and Orphaned Missions, and vice-chairman of American Relief for Korea. The government of Korea has conferred upon him honorary citizenship in that country.

"Mr. Protestant," so named by the world's press holds thirteen honorary degrees from colleges and universities throughout the world. An April issue of TIME magazine published his picture on the cover.

A lengthy feature about Dr. Fry was published in this magazine which stated, "He is more familiar these days in Washington or London than New Rochelle. Dr. Franklin Clark Fry is perhaps the most influential leader of world Protestantism—one of the two or three American churchmen with a wide international reputation. He is also the most powerful figure among U. S. Lutherans, third biggest Protestant group in the U. S."

Dr. Keiser

The principal speaker to hundreds of returning Lenoir Rhyne alumni will be Dr. Albert Keiser. He served as professor of English and Public Speaking, Lenoir Rhyne College, 1925-1957; supply preacher and Archivist of North Carolina Synod; Councilman and Chairman of Building Committee, St. Andrew's Lutheran Church. Dr. Keiser is author of four important national publications and is now in the process of writing his fifth book. The speaker is founder of the South Atlantic Forensic tournament and coached the Lenoir Rhyne college Public Speaking and Debating teams to many championships. He is listed in Who's Who in America, and is a member of the North Carolina Poetry Society.

Rev. Bost

The baccalaureate speaker is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne college and a native of Maiden, N. C. Rev. Bost is currently serving as pastor to the Lutheran students of Yale University. His pastorates prior to

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Honorary Degrees Scheduled To Go To Keiser, Iddings, Schott

Lenoir Rhyne College will award three Honorary Degrees at the sixty-seventh commencement exercises Monday, June 2.

The recipients will be Dr. Albert Keiser, of Hickory who will be awarded the Degree of Doctor of Literature; The Reverend John White Iddings, of Albemarle and the Reverend Professor George Frederick Schott, of Columbia, South Carolina, will receive the Degrees of Doctor of Divinity.

Dr. Keiser

Dr. Keiser, professor emeritus of English and Public Speaking of Lenoir Rhyne College received his A.B. Degree from Wartburg College, The A.M. from the University of Montana and the Ph.D. from the University of Illinois. He received his formal ministerial training from Wartburg Theological Seminary, Waverly Iowa. Dr. Keiser served as Head of the Department of English and Public Speaking at Lenoir Rhyne from 1925 until 1957. He is a member of Sigma Tau Delta, national Honorary English Fraternity and is the retiring Provincial Governor for the eight Southeastern States of Pi Kappa Delta, Honorary forensic fraternity. He is founder of the South Atlantic Forensic Tournament; North Carolina State chairman of the Intercollegiate Peace Association; member of the Modern Language Association of America; Executive Secretary and Treasurer of the N. C. Intercollegiate Forensic Association; member of the American Association of University Professors; member of the N. C. Poetry Society and is listed in "Who's Who in America." Dr. Keiser served on the faculties of Newberry, Beloit and Augustana Colleges prior to his Lenoir Rhyne professorship. He is the author of four books and is now in the process of writing his fifth.

Rev. Iddings

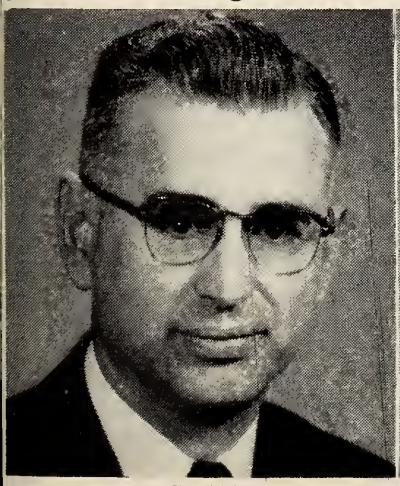
The Reverend John White Iddings is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne College and the Lutheran Thelogocial Southern Seminary of Columbia, South Carolina. He has served pastorates in Asheville, China Grove, Granite Quarry and is at the present time pastor of the First Lutheran Church, Albemarle.

He is a member of the Board of Trustees of Lenoir Rhyne College and is currently the president of the Ministers' Association of Stanley County. Pastor Iddings is a Director of the Stanley County United Fund; Member of the Board of Trustees of the N. C. Symphony and county manager for this renowned musical organization. He has devoted much of his time to the Lenoir Rhyne Development Program. Rev. Iddings is president of the Albemarle Rotary Club and President of the Albemarle Executives Club.

Professor Schott

The Reverend Professor George Frederick Schott is a graduate of Lenoir Rhyne College and the Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary. Rev. Schott also completed graduate studies at Chicago Seminary. He is presently serving as Professor of Systematic Theology at Southern Seminary, Columbia, S. C.

Reverend Schott is a member of the Board of Trustees of Lenoir Rhyne College, and has been vice chairman since 1951. He is a former member of the faculty of the college and has served congregations in Spencer, N. C. and Columbia, South Carolina. Schott has distinguished himself in the field of scouting having been awarded the Silver Beaver award and was sent to Europe as a special representative to the World Jamboree in 1947. He is a member of the national Lutheran Committee on scouting and director of Scouting in Region Six, South Carolina.



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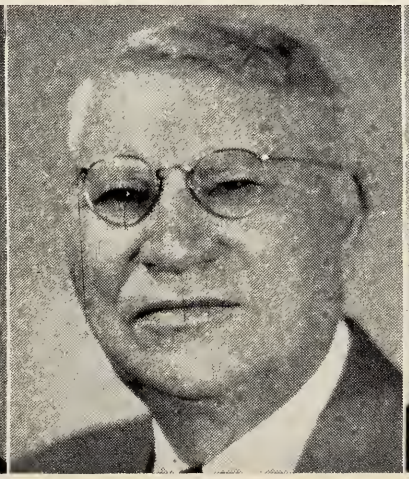

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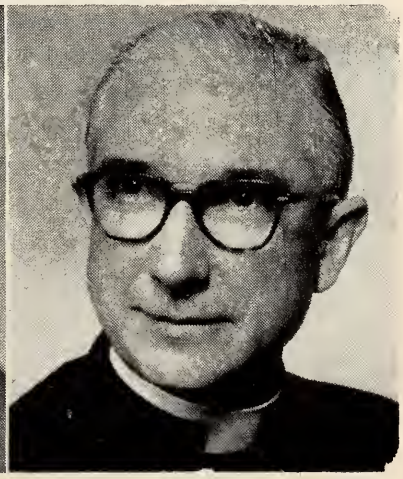


IDDINGS

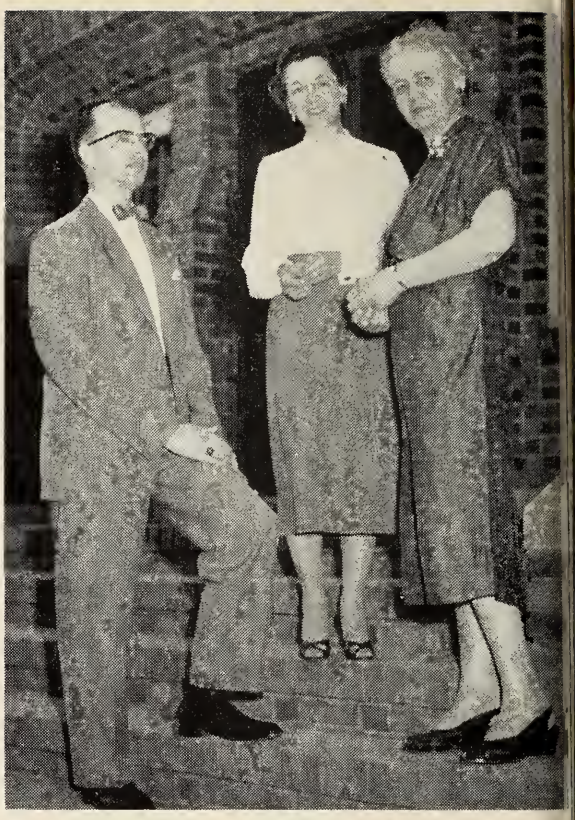
Alumni Day Set; Classes To Reconvene

More than one-hundred students and faculty members participated in the annual observances of Lenoir Rhyne College Day, Sunday, April 27.

Eighty-six United Lutheran Churches in the state were host to Lenoir Rhyne visitors, speakers and soloists for the presentation of special College Day programs.

Having been regularly observed during the past seven years, Lenoir Rhyne College Day has become a popular and anticipated event throughout North Carolina. The purpose of the program is designed to give Lutherans an insight as to how Lenoir Rhyne meets her obligations in the role of an institution of Christian higher education—especially through the eyes of students.

Reports on the expansion program at Lenoir Rhyne were, also, included in the special program in a number of instances.



Frank Henry Bretz (left) and Mrs. Bretz (center) chat with Mrs. Laura Bowden, Dean of Women at Lenoir Rhyne.

LR Sunday Observed By State Churches

Hundreds of Lenoir Rhyne College alumni have been invited and are expected to assemble on the local campus Saturday, May 31, for the Alumni Day exercises.

An annual affair, the activities have been slated in affiliation with the sixty-seventh commencement exercises.

Registration will begin at 10 a. m. in the Public Relations building located across from the old St. Andrew's Church building. The Alumni luncheon, featuring Dr. Albert Keiser, professor emeritus of English and Public Speaking at Lenoir Rhyne, as speaker, will be held in the college dining hall at 12:00 noon. The 1958 graduating class has been invited to attend this event.

Immediately after the luncheon the following classes will convene for their class reunions:

1893	1898	1903	1908	1913
1918	1923	1928	1933	1938
1943	1948	1953		

H. Bretz Appointed Dean of Students

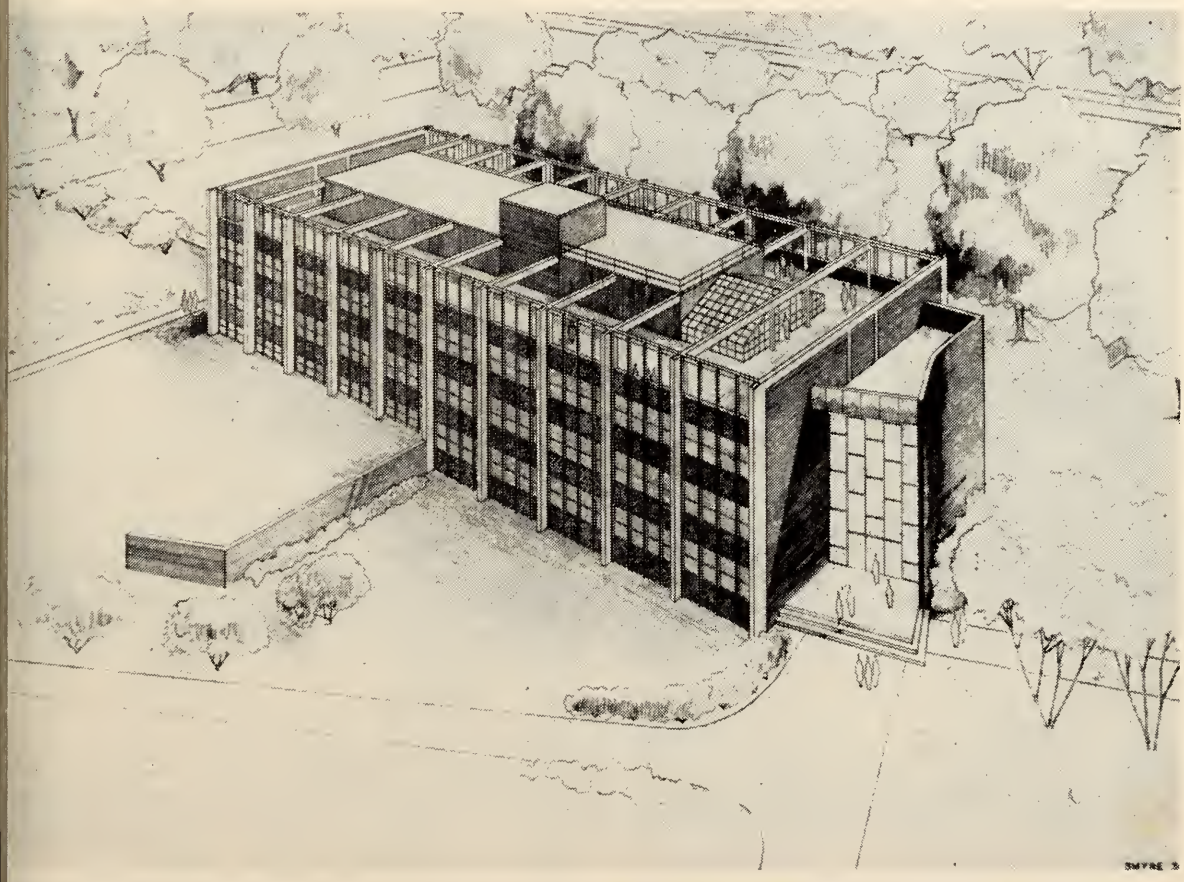
Lenoir Rhyne College's Board of Trustees at a regular meeting approved the appointment of Frank Henry Bretz as Dean of Students.

Dr. Voigt R. Cromer, college president in making the announcement, explained that the appointment of Mr. Bretz will provide a person whose primary responsibility will be in the area of student personnel services, including counseling and guidance and the supervision and coordination of organizational affairs and activities.

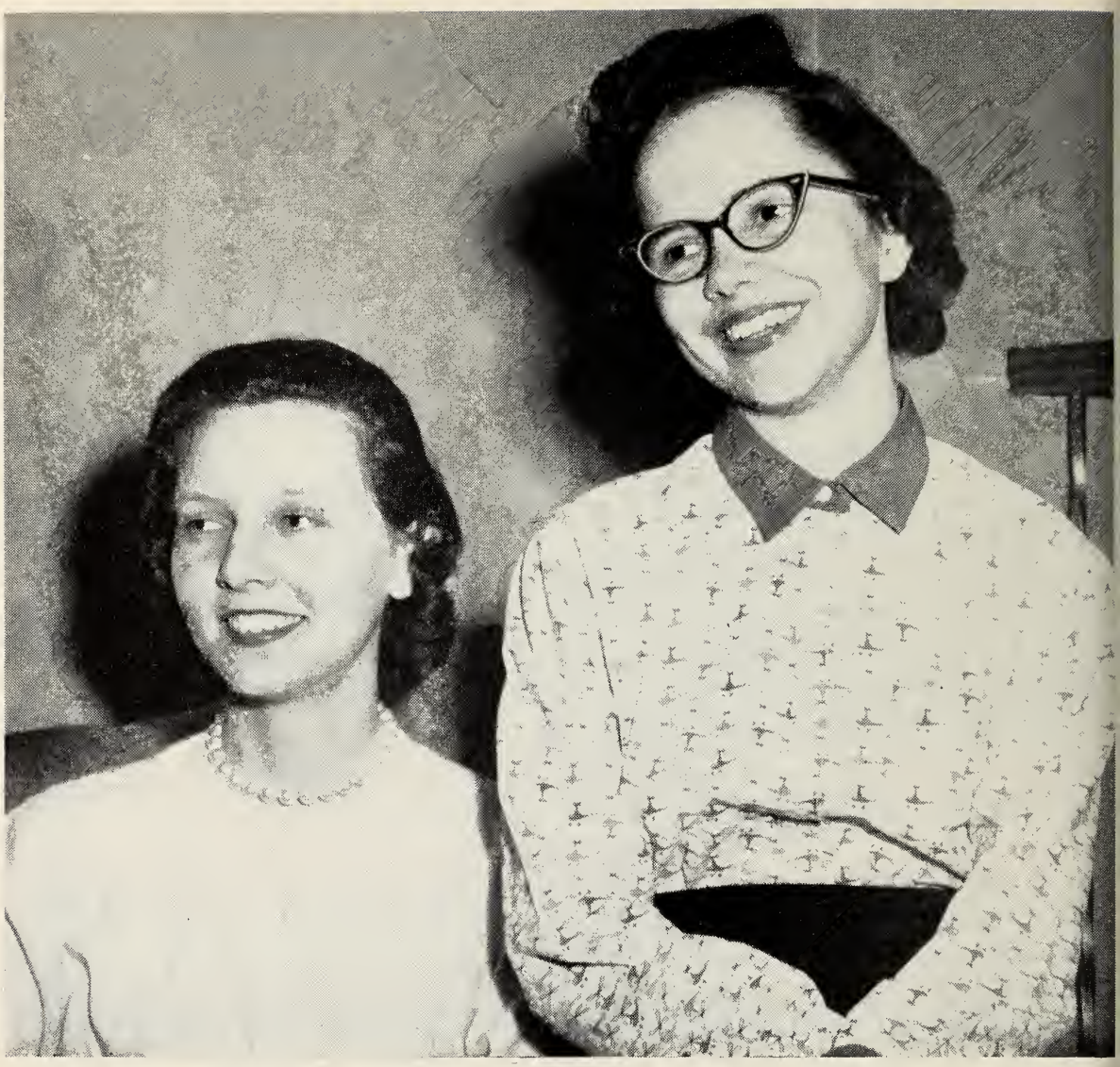
"The need for this position has become more urgent with the rising enrollment and the increase of organizations and their activities. Other faculty and staff members will continue to be active as counselors and advisers, but the Dean of Students will serve to integrate this area of service and to give direct supervision and assistance wherever needed," Dr. Cromer stated.

Mr. Bretz, who lives in Philadelphia, Pa., is currently Secretary of Research of the Board of Parish Education of the United Lutheran Church in America. He will begin his position at Lenoir Rhyne College, September 1.

Shown above are the most recent initiates to Mu Sigma Epsilon, campus honorary scholastic or-
er. Front row (left to right): Mrs. Elberta Coulter, Mary Wise, Judy Ford, Norma Jean Setzer
ope, Kay Goble and Rebecca Ann Fry. Second row: Dr. J. M. Grier, Prof. W. P. Brandon, Dr.
oy Ullman, Nancy Holshouser, Joel Mauney, Betty Bostian and Sylvia Kidd.



Construction on Lenoir Rhyne College's new three-story Minges Science Building (above) will
egin in August of this year and will be completed in September of 1959. This new structure is the
gift of Dr. L. L. Minges of Rocky Mount and his family. The building will be of a conservative,
contemporary design and the plans will provide the anticipated needs of the college for the next
0-15 years, according to Robert L. Clemmer, architect.



BEATTY WISE

Junior Co-Eds Win Study Grants

Becky Beatty, and Mary Wise, two Lenoir Rhyne College junior co-eds, have been named as the recipients of the Lutheran Brotherhood Scholarships.

These $300 scholarships are awarded to the students in the Junior class who are Lutherans and have done outstanding work.

Becky is president of the Religious Council this year, secretary of the local LSA, and social actions secretary of the southeastern region LSA.

A native of Charlotte, she is majoring in sociology and English. Becky plans to either teach or do social work. For the past two years she has been working in the development fund office of the college.

Her activities also include Sunday school pianist for the St. Andrew's Lutheran Church, Y. W. C. A. and the literary society.

Mary Wise, whose hometown is Salisbury, has received previous honors at Lenoir Rhyne. As a freshman she was awarded the freshman medal. An honor roll student, she received a bid from Mu Sigma Epsilon, honorary scholastic fraternity.

She has worked for three years on the Lenoir Rhynean and one year on the business staff of the Hacawa. She holds membership in Iota Epsilon Omega, honorary journalistic fraternity.

Her religious activities include LSA, Y. W. C. A., and she is Luther League editor of the North Carolina Lutheran.

Mary's major is English and history. She is a member of Philia sorority.

Support the Loyalty Fund

RISING STUDENT BODY OFFICERS

LaTORRE

LITAKER

Allan LaTorre, rising Senior from Charleston, S. C., has been elected to serve as president of the Lenoir Rhyne student body for the 1958-59 academic year.

LaTorre steps up from the post of vice president of the student body. He is also a member of the Bear football squad.

Serving under LaTorre will be Johnny Fisher of Spartanburg, S. C., as vice president and Frances Litaker of Albemarle as secretary-treasurer.

At the same time, upcoming cabinet members were elected to complete the student government slate. They are Larry Beaver and Helgi Kuuskraa, rising Sophomores; Eddie Goodnight and Rosemary Koontz, rising Juniors; and Eddie Ricks and Becky Beatty, rising Seniors.

LaTorre, an outstanding student in campus activities, is a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon social fraternity, vice-president of the inter-fraternity council, and vice-president of the student body his junior year. He is also a member of the football team of which he was made all-conference his sophomore and junior years, and is chaplain of the Lettermen's club.

Mr. Fisher, a rising junior is a member of the football team and a member of Theta Chi social fraternity.

Miss Litaker is a member of the Philia sorority of which she has been treasurer and corresponding secretary, member of the inter-fraternity council, business staff of the Hacawa, and a May Day attendant her sophomore year.

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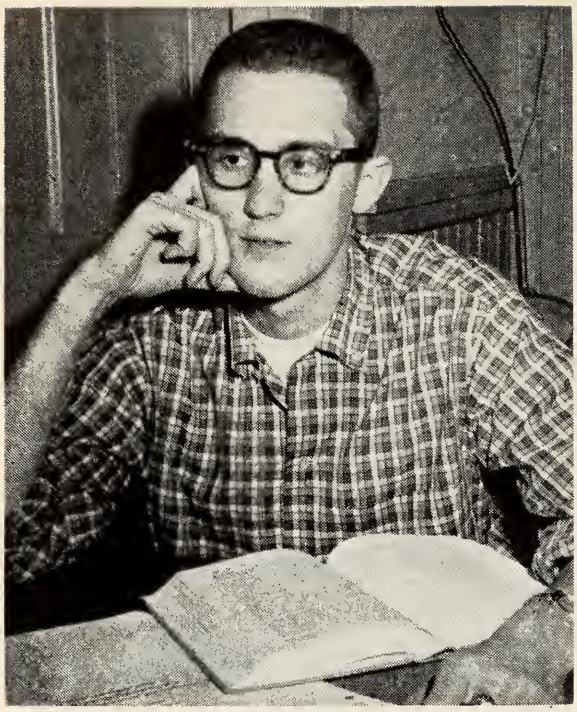

DAVID KECK

Keck Wins Annual Declamation Award

David Keck, son of the Reverend and Mrs. Albert H. Keck, Jr., of Hickory, claimed top honors at the annual Freshman-Sophomore Declamation contest held in the college assembly building April 24.

His oration taken from an essay by Ralph Waldo Emerson, won him first place over four other contestants.

Michael Keever and Bob Peeler of Hickory were named second and third place winners, respectively.

Other contestants were John T. Williams of Newton and Garland Shook of Granite Falls.

Mr. Keck will receive the annual award given by Dr. Glenn R. Frye of Hickory, to the outstanding declaimer among freshman and sophomore men.

SPEAKERS

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accepting his present position included Nativity Lutheran Church, Spartanburg, S. C.; and Holy Trinity Lutheran church, Raleigh, N. C. Pastor Bost served as president of the N. C. Conference of Christian Student Workers; president of the Raleigh Ministerial Association; Chairman of the Committee on Public Affairs, North Carolina Council of Churches; and served on the Durham, N. C., Study Committee of the Department of Theology, World Council of Churches, preparatory to the Oberlin Conference on "The Nature of the Unity We Seek."

NEW PUBLICATION HEADS TAKE POST

Lenoir Rhyne College's student body elected publication heads and student cabinet members for 1958-59.

Sally Koppen, a junior from Gastonia will edit the Hacawa. Her business manager will be John Adkins of Hickory.

Joe Moretz, a sophomore from Boone, will edit the Lenoir Rhynean. Bill Kelley, a sophomore, from Newton will control the finances.

As Hacawa editor, Sally's duties will include drawing up a dummy for the book before the end of school this year, organizing a staff, plus the training and coordinating all the varied activities of Lenoir Rhyne into an original and effective book of memories.

Included in Joe's job will be the organization and training of a staff, the gathering of news each week, with all phases of activities being covered, and the publishing of a newspaper each Friday.

The main job of the business managers entails securing enough ads to finance their respective publications and keep the finances in order.

Nominations of the publication heads and cabinet members were made by the Student Faculty Nominations Committee; election was by vote of the student body.

Other nominees were Anita McGinnis, Hacawa editor; Rosemarry Koontz, Hacawa Business manager; Mary Wise and Susanne Snyder, Lenoir Rhyne editor; Linda Bowman, Lenoir Rhynean business manager; Eddie Setzler, senior cabinet member; White Iddings and Barbara Allran, freshman cabinet positions.

'OKLAHOMA' PLAYS TO 4,200 PERSONS

"Oklahoma," a musical by Rodgers and Hammerstein, was presented March 14-15 by the Junior Class of Lenoir Rhyne College in the P. E. Monroe Auditorium.

Approximately 4,200 persons attended the production. This was the largest number ever to attend the junior class production in the history of the college.

Two thousand Hickory area school children saw the show and 2,000 adults and Lenoir Rhyne students attended the evening performances.

It was reported by an official of the production that the attendance of "Oklahoma" doubled that of any previous Junior class production.

The gross income was reported to be $1,800 and expenses were $1,200. This left a profit of $600. the largest yet for the Junior class. The previous highest profit had been $300.

May Court beauties featured Miss Judy Ford (Front left) Maid of Honor, and Betty Sink (front right) May Queen. Back row (left to right):Sylvia Huffman, Carolyn Young, Janice Carpenter, Kay Spencer, Sandra Deaton, Judy Torgenson, Sally Koppen. Mary Gribble, Leta Kendall and Ann Thomas.

The Lenoir Rhyne a cappella choir is shown above prior to boarding the busses for a concert tour in the Northeast. The choir appeared in Virginia, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York.

"Oklahoma," the first Broadway musical to be produced on the Lenoir Rhyne campus played to more than 4,200 in the P. E. Monroe auditorium. A cast of approximately 75 persons participated.

BEAR CO-CAPTAINS — BILL JOHNSON (Left), AND JERRY FOX

Rain Slows Spring Sports Events

Old man weather has prevailed at Lenoir Rhyne during March and April forcing the postponement of sixteen athletic events and affecting countless others. The month of May has a baseball schedule of six games, but ten remain to be played.

With half of the diamond schedule played the Bears have a 6-4 record. They have defeated Presbyterian and High Point twice and Guilford and Appalachian once. Losses have been inflicted by Davidson, Elon, Catawba, and Belmont Abbey. Of these defeats only the one by Catawba came on a day ideal for baseball. The wind blew throughout the Davidson encounter, and at Elon the field was still wet. The Crusaders emerged victorious when the rains came down in torrents in the midst of a Bruin rally in the sixth inning.

By far the best performance by a Bear opponent this season was by the Catawba Indians on April 19 at Salisbury. True to their name they scalped the Bears, 11-6. First sacker Gene Fleming did enough damage alone to insure Bear defeat. He clouted two long home runs over the left-centerfield wall and hit a triple off the rightcenterfield fence just inches from the top. All told, the bespectacled slugger drove in 7 runs.

For the Bears their best game to date would be a 12-3 conquest of Appalachian State Teachers College. Junior Baucom, Freshmen from Gastonia, hurled the game for the Bears and stroked a three-run inside the park home run. Co-captain Jerry Fox hit a fifth inning solo blast out of the confines of College Field.

Ranking close behind this showing would be the 10-inning 8-4 victory over Presbyterian in Clinton, S. C. on April 24. Unable to score but two runs in nine innings the Bears went into the tenth frame of a game tied 2-2. With the aid of superb base running and able hitting with men on bases they took the field in the 10th leading 8-2. Herman Starrette, of Statesville, pitched the entire game for the Bears and drove in three runs with a double off the leftfield chalkmark. Johnny James hit the Bruins only home run as he led off the initial frame.

Statistically, Fox is the Bear standout. The Junior native of Statesville, who was an All-State selection last year when he stroked 10 home runs and hit .400, this season again leads most of the offensive departments. Fourteen base hits in 40 at-bats give him a team leading average of .350. His four homers, 12 RBI's and 4 stolen bases also are tops. He along with Lee Farmer and Johnny James have scored 9 runs.

James has 11 walks, Ralph Carswell and Bill Reece have 2 triples each. Carswell

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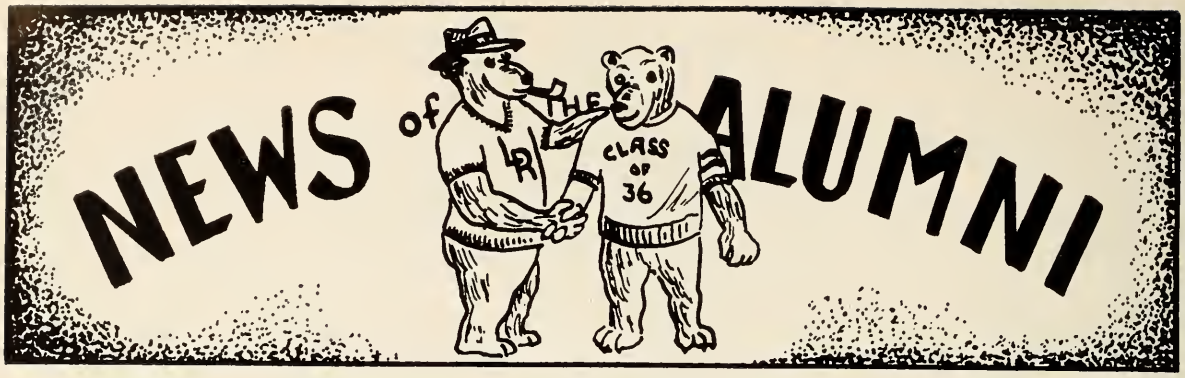
Lenoir Rhyne golfers were named North State Conference champions for the 1958 Spring season. From left to right are: Hody McLean, Adam Maples, Robert Dale, Bill Well, coach, and Robert Bloh.



William C. Bloh, '57, of Giddings, Texas, was commissioned a Navy Ensign March 28, at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida. As an Aviation Officer Candidate he completed sixteen weeks training at the Naval School of Pre-Flight in Pensacola, undergoing primary flight training.

Joseph T. Buff, '56, of Hickory was recently promoted from Ensign to Lieutenant (j.g.). Lt. Buff has been serving aboard the Mississinewa since October 1956, in the Mediterranean area. He is now in the Engineering department as liquid cargo officer and electrical officer. Lt. and Mrs. Buff will make their home in Naples, where he will be stationed for the next eighteen months. His address is Lt. (j.g.) Joseph T. Buff, USS Mississinewa (AO-144), care Fleet Post Office, New York, N. Y.

Ray Von Caldwell, '53, chemistry and biology teacher at Maiden High School, has been awarded a graduate scholarship at the University of North Carolina, under the sponsorship of the National Science Foundation.

Oren Cauble, '56, of Belmont, has accepted a position as salesman with the Westinghouse Company and is currently training at Hampton, S. C.

Robert (Bob) Lippard, '53, is now manager of the Union National Branch Bank in Charlotte. He is married to the former Miss Edythe Hook, '53, of Bessemer City, who holds a teaching position with the Mecklenburg School System. They are residing at 1802 Evergreen Drive, Charlotte.

Wayne Reid Austin, '34, of Lenoir, has been awarded a scholarship for a year of advanced study in mathematics and science at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Mr. Austin has been a teacher at Oak Hill school since 1947.

Phillip F. Patton, '53, of Hickory was recently named Exalted Ruler of the Hickory B. P. O. Elks Lodge. Mr. Patton is vice-president of the Del-Mark, Inc. His address is: 1347 Eighth Street, N. W., Hickory.

Mark Rowe, '56, of Newton is now district sales representative for The Westinghouse Company. He is married to the former Miss Margie Simmons of Newton, and they are residing at 3411 Meredith Avenue, Charlotte.

Carl A. Dellinger, '54, of Hickory, holds a position with Home Finance Company and has recently been transferred from the Charlotte office, to Rockwell, S. C.

Miss Jane Coley, '57, of Newton, has accepted a teaching position at Bethune Elementary school in Charlotte.

Jack Gunnells, '53, is now personnel manager for the Campbell Soup Company in Trenton, N. J.

Jack Barringer, '56, is now doing graduate work at the University of Virginia. He is married to the former Miss Mary Ann Grissom, '56, of Spencer.

Kenneth Little, '58 has accepted a call as music director at Temple Baptist church in Hickory. Mr. Little has been the music director at North Newton Baptist church, and interim music director at the First Baptist church in Hickory. Mr. and Mrs. Little reside at 407 Fourth Avenue, N. W., Hickory.

Marion W. Powell, '55, of Drexel, Grover Forrest Teague, '56, of Shelby, and Harold Dean Whitener, '57, of Hickory, are now attending Southeastern Baptist Seminary at Wake Forest.

Prof. L. David Miller, '39, director of the Wittenberg College School of Music, has been named to membership on the Permanent Commission on Liturgy and Hymnal of the Lutheran Church in America.

Prof. Miller was named by the executive board of the United Lutheran Church, one of eight Lutheran bodies in the United States represented on the commission.

Purpose of the commission, Prof. Miller says, is "to have ultimate responsibility for

the contest, editing and format of all editions, complete or partial of the new Service Book and Hymnal which will be used by the eight churches."

PFC. Chad F. Mitchell, '55, of Hickory, is currently stationed at Paris, France. He took his basic training at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and spent eight months at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. His address is: US 53292522, Hqs. Comd. SHAPE, U. S. Personnel, APO 55, New York, N. Y.

William Herbert Little, '96, executive vice-president and secretary of the Fidelity Federal Savings and Loan Association, of Hickory, recently had a book published by the Vantage Press of New York, under the title, A VERSE A DAY.

A VERSE A DAY is a manual in poetic form for everyday private and family devotions. Each day's poem consists of a uniform number of verses of uniform matter on topics suggested for meditation by Scripture verses.

Mr. Little was a member of the college faculty for seventeen years (1901-1918), and dean of the college ten years and acting president for one year.

Miss Bobbie Ann Schilling of Pensacola, Florida, became the bride of Carl Dawes Burns, '50, of Hildebran, on May 17, at the Gadsden Street Methodist church. Mr. Burns holds a position with the Crawford and Company of Pensacola.

In a double ring ceremony at Bethlehem Lutheran church near Hickory, on April 20, Miss Ann Goodman, '57, became the bride of Perry Turner, Jr., of Hickory and Rock Hill, S. C. Mr. and Mrs. Turner are residing on Route Three, Hickory.

Miss Judy Fry and Conrad Flowers, '57, of Hickory, will be married on May 18, at Penelope Baptist church, Hickory.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Frank Coffey of Hickory, announce the engagement of their daughter Jean Alice of Bassett, Va., to E. Thomas Holdren of Bassett. The wedding will take place in July. Miss Coffey, '57, is a member of the faculty at John D. Bassett High School, Basset.

Miss Evelyn Dill, '54, of Aiken, S. C., was married April 5, to C. B. Mettenheimer

Lenoir Rhyne alumni turned out full force at a recent meeting of the South Carolina chapter in Columbia. A portion of the crowd at the dinner meeting is pictured above.

formerly of Palm Beach, Florida. Mrs. Mettenheimer is currently holding a position at the Savannah River Plant. They are residing at Route One, Box 20B, Aiken, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gorsline of Richmond, Va., announce the birth of a son, William David, Jr., on October 12, 1957. Mr. Gorsline, '54, holds a position with Liberty Mutual Insurance Company as a claims investigator. He is married to the former Miss Sissy Martin, '54, of Morganton. They have a daughter Melanie Karen born in Louisville, Kentucky, December 24, 1955. They are residing at 1228 Blue Jay Lane, Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Eugene LaFone of Hickory, announce the birth of a son, on March 18 at the Richard Baker hospital. Mrs. LaFone is the former Miss Mitzi Bechom, '56, and Mr. LaFone graduated in '51.

Mr. and Mrs. William Avery Wilfong, '53, of 39 Twenty-first Avenue, N. E., Hickory, announce the birth of a son, William Avery, Jr., on March 13. Mr. Wilfong is president of Hickory Wholesale Florist.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caldwell Ketner announce the birth of a daughter on April 14. Mr. Ketner, '50, is principal of Green Park school in the Hickory school system. They are residing at 154 Thirteenth Avenue, N. W., Hickory.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowren Furr announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Kim on December 30, Mr. Furr, '55, Sales Manager of the Sinclair Products Company in Charlotte. They are residing at 3409 Meredith Avenue, Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Pannell of Chapel Hill, announce the birth of a son, Robert Rhett on March 16. They have another son Martin Monroe, born August 29, 1955. Mrs. Pennell, '54, is the former Miss Nancy Ruth Mauney of Bessemer City. Mr. and Mrs. Pennell now reside at Oak Terrace Apts. - Apt. 1A, Airport Road, Chapel Hill.

The Reverend and Mrs. Joseph W. Holt of 3276 Bobbie Lane, Decatur, Ga., announced the birth of a son, Stephen Arnold on February 21. Mrs. Holt, '56, is the former Miss Melba Taylor of Leesville, S. C.

SPRING SPORTS

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having 5 extra base hits and 60 putouts. Ed Payne and Carswell each have two doubles, while Farmer has 20 assists.

Among Lenoir Rhyne's three pitchers Junior Baucom has a 3-0 record, and has given up 8 earned runs. Herman Starrette, 2-2, leads in strikeouts with 22 while Wayne Moore, 1-2, has given up 9 walks.

The remainder of the schedule is as follows:

April 30—ASTC (home).
May 2—Western Carolina (home).
3—Western Carolina (home).
6—Guilford (home).
8—Atlantic Christian (away).
9—Eastern Carolina (away).
10—Catawba (home).
13—Elon (home)*

*Game will be played only if it has a bearing on the North State Conference standings.

The Bruin golf team, reactivated after several years, currently shares the top spot in the conference with Guilford with a 6-1 mark. The Bears were able to obtain only 8 matches since they decided to field a team at the last minute, while other teams have a ten game schedule. As a result of this discrepancy the Bears could lose the championship.

They have defeated Eastern Carolina twice, 10-8 and 17½ to ½, Appalachian twice, 15-3 and 12-6, and Atlantic Christian twice by identical scores of 18-0. Catawba downed the Bears 14-4 at Salisbury for their only setback. At present Coach Billy Wells is trying to reschedule a rained out match with the Indians in Hickory prior to May 5 when the conference tournament begins at the Starmount Country Club in Greensboro.

The current season has been a rough year for the tennis squad of Coach Sid Wilson. Since their opening 6-1 victory over Belmont Abbey on March 22 they have not been able to win a match. They have fallen twice before Western Carolina, Appalachian and Atlantic Christian and have been downed once by Guilford. Two matches with High Point and Elon remain as does one with Guilford.

WE WILL SEE YOU MAY 31

These students vied for the top offices in the recent election of publication heads. In the upper picture are (left to right) Sally Koppen and Anita McGinnis, Hacawa editor nominees, and Rosemary Koontz and John Adkins, Hacawa business nominees. In the lower photo (left to right) Joe Moretz and Mary Wise and Susanne Snyder, Lenoir Rhynean editor candidates, and Bill Kelly, Lenoir Rhynean business manager candidate. Linda Bowman was the other business manager candidate.

L R Jazz Group Wins Trip, Contract

A trip to New York City and several days of auditioning have resulted in a recording contract for the "Crewnecks" with Roulette Records.

The "Crewnecks" is a seven-member ensemble which features rock 'n roll. They are cutting a long playing album, which features two songs written by Jimmy Brown. Brown's two songs are "Mine, Mine, Mine," and "To You My Love."

The group, composed of Brown, Edgar Trexler, John Merck, Bob Rhyne, Charles Murph, Doug Walker, on bass, and Gary Safrit at the piano, was scheduled to record again in New York.

The "Crewnecks" will leave from New York this Summer with eight other acts to travel to Europe. The entire show, "Holidays for Teens," will entertain at various armed forces bases across the continent.

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FRIDAY, MAY THIRTIETH

8:15 P. M. Commencement Recital
Assembly Building

SATURDAY, MAY THIRTY-FIRST

12:00 Noon Alumni Luncheon
Address: Albert Keiser,
A.M., Ph.D.
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College Dining Hall

2:00 P. M. Business Meeting of Alumni Association
College Dining Hall

3:00 P. M. Class Reunions
Classes of 1898, 1903, 1908, 1913, 1918, 1923, 1928, 1933, 1938, 1943, 1948 and 1953

3:30 to
4:45 P. M. Tea for Alumni, Seniors and Visitors
Mauney Hall

5:00 P. M. Class Day Exercises
Front Campus

8:15 P. M. Commencement Play
Lenoir Rhyne Playmakers
P. E. Monroe Auditorium

SUNDAY, JUNE FIRST

11:00 A. M. Baccalaureate Service
Sermon: The Reverend Raymond M. Bost,
A.B., B.D., '49
Campus Lutheran Pastor, Yale University
P. E. Monroe Auditorium

3:00 to
5:00 P. M. Reception for Graduates and Their Parents
Home of President and Mrs. Voigt R. Cromer

MONDAY, JUNE SECOND

10:00 A. M. Graduation Exercises
Address: The Reverend Franklin Clark Fry,
D.D., S.T.D., LL.D., Litt.D., L.H.D., S.J.D., D.C.L.
President of The United Lutheran Church in America
P. E. Monroe Auditorium